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Dear Examiner:

This Agenda is being submitted prior to a telephone interview.

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### **Claims for Discussion**

1. (Previously Presented) A method for maintaining electronic patient medical information, comprising:
  - generating an electronic patient data structure including patient biographical information and one of medical history information including medical event information, medication schedule information, and appointment schedule information;
  - electronically transmitting the patient data structure between a physician computer and a portable patient device, wherein the patient data structure is capable of being modified; and
  - displaying, in the display of the portable computing device, a main menu of selectable views, wherein the selectable views comprise a patient bio view, a medical history view, a patient medication schedule view, an appointment schedule view, and a log view, and wherein the appointment schedule view displayed in the display of the portable computing device differs from the appointment schedule view that is displayable on a display at the physician computer.
4. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising setting an alarm to activate to provide an alert of one scheduled patient medication or appointment, wherein the alarm is set by a patient.
6. (Previously Presented) The method of claim 1, further comprising:
  - adding, with the physician computer, one of appointment and medication events to the patient data structure, wherein one appointment event indicates a scheduled medical related visit and one medication event indicates a drug prescription, wherein the drug prescription is digitally signed with a physician public key so that a pharmacist may authenticate an electronic prescription; and
  - transmitting the modified patient data structure to the patient device.

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**REMARKS**

Applicants are submitting a proposed agenda for a telephone interview.

Applicants would like to discuss the 35 U.S.C. 103(a) rejection of claims 1, 4, and 6 that cites the Lavin et al. (U.S. Patent No. 5,772,585) and Brown (U.S. Patent No. 6,032,119) patents.

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